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DR. JOE PARKER makes no bones o acknowledging that he is here after Yankee boodle; but as he is neither an actor nor a professional beauty, and has no weightier characteristic than brass, he has probably worked the Philistines for all they are worth by this time.

THE Supreme Court of Massachusetts has actually issued an edict kindly permitting citizens to be shaved or shave themselves on Sunday. This is probably in deference to the old-fashioned prejudices against wearing a beard, revived by the traditional hirsuteness of the Anarchists.